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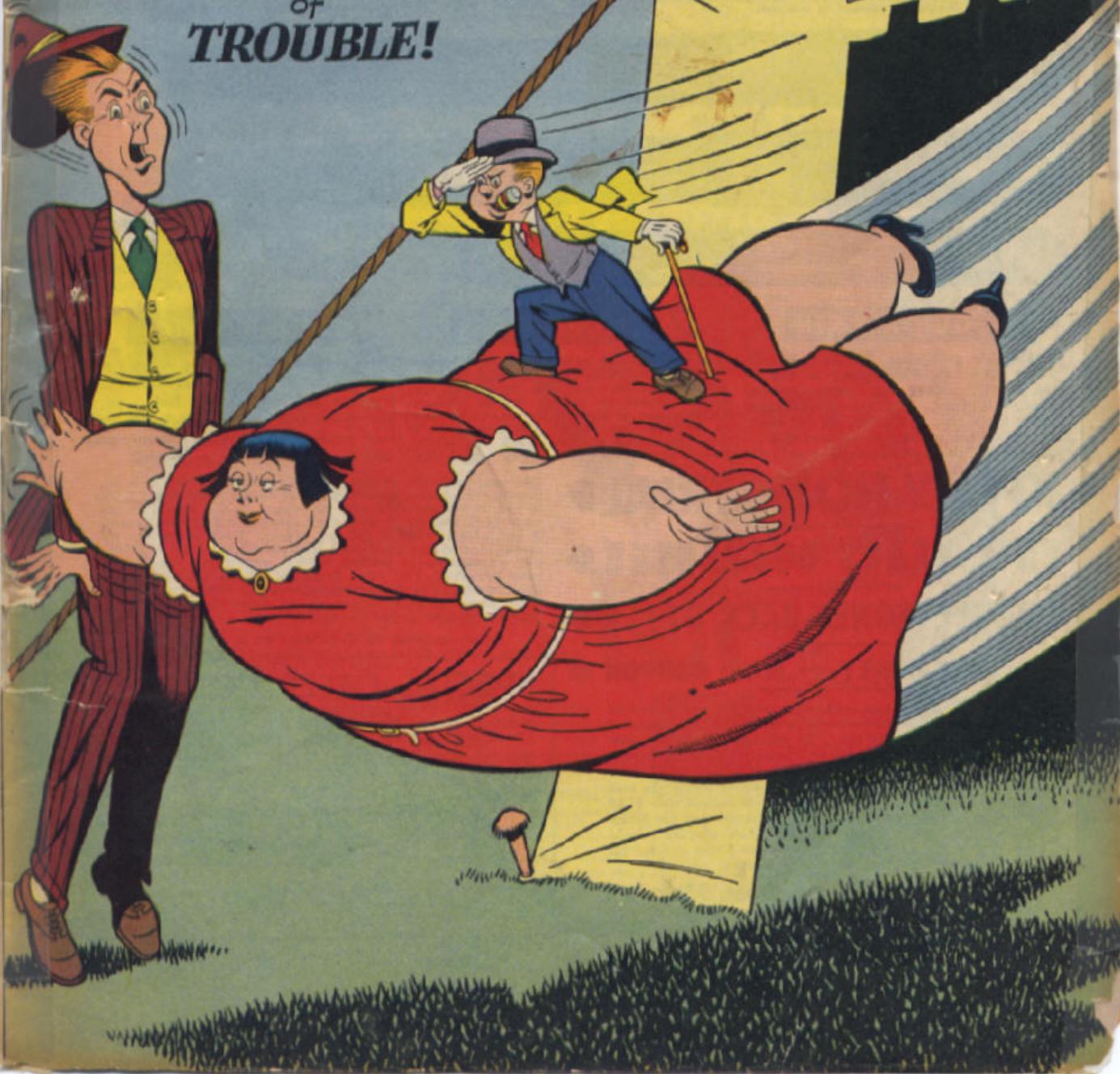
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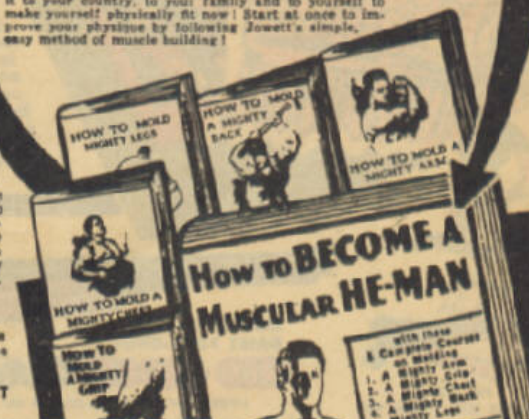
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# THE BARKER

... SO BUY YOUR TICKETS AND  
STEP INSIDE TO SEE THE  
WORLD'S GREATEST  
COLLECTION OF WILD  
ANIMALS ... AWK !

WHAT FOR? THEY'RE  
COMING OUT HERE!



Klaus Nordling



I'LL TEACH YOU TO STAY OFF THE FREIGHTS ON THIS ROAD, BO!

NOW GIT!

AW, THE SERVICE WAS AWFUL ANYWAY!

I'M THINKING OF WRITING A LETTER TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE ROAD ABOUT IT...COMP!

A PICCOLO! LOOKS NEW, TOO! MUST'VE FALLEN OUT OF A FREIGHT SHIPMENT....

A HOCK SHOP OUGHT TO GIVE ME A FIN FOR IT....

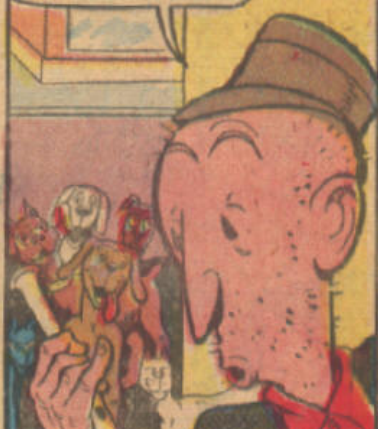
H'MM! SOUNDS PRETTY GOOD! NEVER KNEW I COULD PLAY ONE!



LIKE THE MUSIC,  
EH, KITTY?



DOGGONED IF MY PICCOLO  
PLAYING ISN'T CAPTIVAT-  
ING ALL THE DOGS AND  
CATS IN TOWN!



SORT OF LIKE THE PIED PIPER OF  
HAMELIN! BUT HE ONLY  
FASCINATED RATS... I  
MUST BE BETTER!

As Carnie Calahan and his circus pals  
take a stroll through town...



GET A LOAD  
OF THAT GUY!  
HE'S GOT THOSE  
DOGS AND  
CATS SPELL-  
BOUND!

IT MUST BE THE WAY HE PLAYS THE  
PICCOLO... I'VE HEARD THAT VERY HIGH  
NOTES ARE SUPPOSED TO DO STRANGE  
THINGS TO ANIMALS....

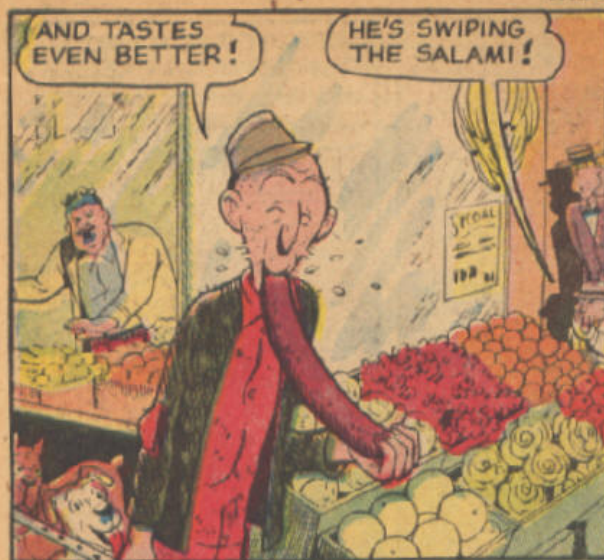
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ITALIAN  
SALAMI



AH! LOOKS TRULY  
DELICIOUS!







AND TASTES EVEN BETTER!

HE'S SWIPING THE SALAMI!



THIEF! CROOK! YOU STEAL-A MY SALAMI! I CATCH-A YOU!



GRR- WOOF

MY DEVOTED FOLLOWERS! NICE WORK!

HALP!

MEEOWR RROWRR

GRR- GROWWR!



TO THE RESCUE, BOYS!

HA! HA! THERE'S SOMETHING FUNNY ABOUT THIS!



HE STEAL-A MY SALAMI AND ATTACK-A ME WID-A DOGS AND-A CATS! I'M GONNA CALL-A DA COPS!

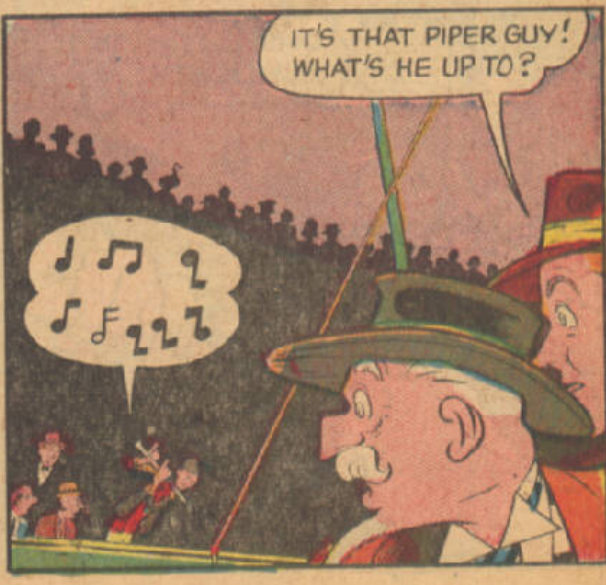
TOO LATE...HE'S GONE AND SO'S THE SALAMI!



NO QUESTION ABOUT IT! THAT GUY HAD SOME KIND OF HYPNOTIC POWER OVER THE ANIMALS WITH HIS PICCOLO! THEY WERE READY TO FIGHT FOR HIM!

THAT'S RIGHT! GUESS THEY ONLY BEGAN TO LOSE INTEREST AFTER HE WAS GONE AND HAD STOPPED PIPING FOR AWHILE!











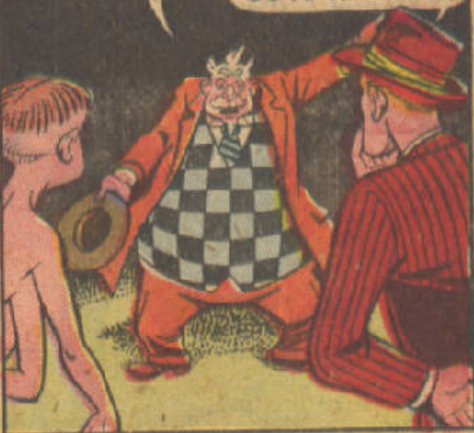
WHO IS THAT GUY?  
CAN'T ANYTHING  
BE DONE ABOUT  
HIM!

IT'S THE MOST AMAZING THING  
I'VE EVER SEEN! HE'D MAKE  
THE PIED PIPER OF HAMELIN  
LOOK LIKE AN AMATEUR!



DON'T JUST  
STAND THERE...  
DO SOMETHING!

WE'LL FOLLOW  
HIM, BUT I WISH  
I KNEW WHAT TO  
DO AFTER THAT!



WHAT DO YOU SUPPOSE HE'S  
GOING TO DO WITH THE  
ANIMALS, CARNIE?

I'LL BET  
WE SOON  
FIND OUT...



JUPITER! HE'S GOING RIGHT SMACK  
INTO THE CENTER OF TOWN!

EEEEK!  
HALP!



HE'S GOING INTO  
THE BANK WITH  
THEM! WHAT'S  
HIS ANGLE?

TWO TO ONE  
HE'S GOING TO  
USE THEM TO  
HELP HIM PULL  
A STICK-UP!



I'LL CALL  
THE COPS!

NO! NO!  
THEY'LL  
KILL THE  
ANIMALS!  
WE'LL BE  
RUINED!

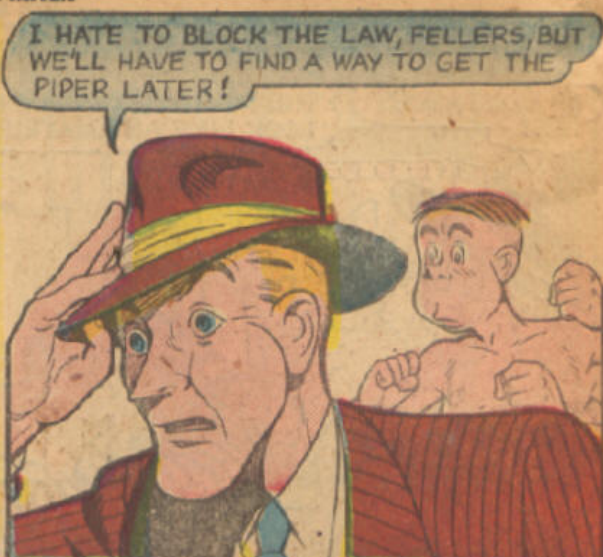


WHAT'S GOING  
ON HERE? WHO  
TURNED THOSE  
ANIMALS LOOSE?

TOUGH LUCK,  
COLONEL...  
THE BOYS IN  
BLUE ARE  
HERE!









THE BARKER

GOT ANY MORE SUGGESTIONS, COLONEL?

I KNOW I GOT YOU BOYS IN HERE, BUT I JUST COULDN'T LET THE COPS SHOOT THOSE ANIMALS...

WELL, THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY WE'LL EVER GET OUT, AND THAT'S BY NABbing THE PIPER AND MAKING HIM TELL THE COPS WE WEREN'T IN WITH HIM!

FAT CHANCE OF NABbing ANYBODY WHILE WE'RE LOCKED UP HERE!

IF WE COULD GET OUT FOR EVEN A LITTLE WHILE, WE MIGHT STAND A CHANCE... HEY, GUARD!

WE WANT TO ORDER A LITTLE SNACK! FIRST, WE'LL HAVE SHRIMP COCKTAILS... SECOND, SOME ONION SOUP... THIRD, SOME...

THAT'S ENOUGH, WISE GUY! YOU'LL EAT BEANS AND LIKE IT!

HERE WE ARE!

SPUDO, DO YOU THINK WE OUGHT TO? BREAKING OUT OF JAIL IS A SERIOUS OFFENSE!

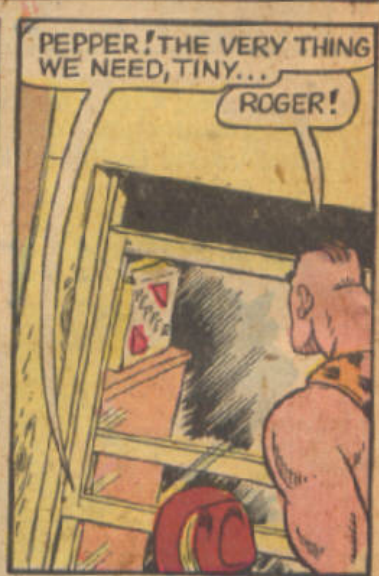
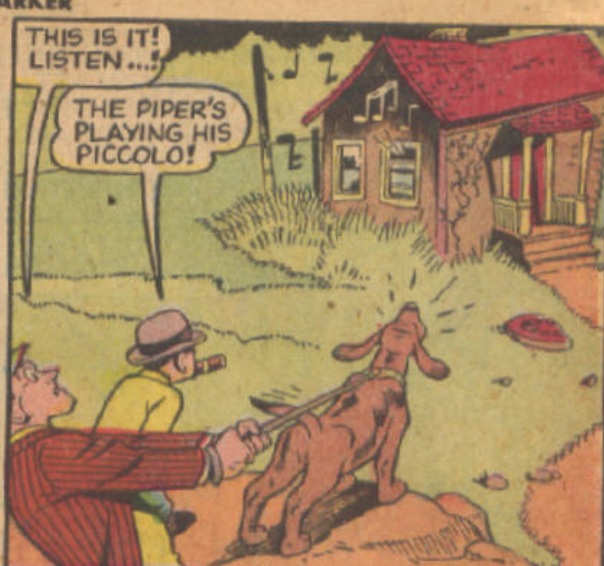
SO IS HAMPERING A LOT OF COPS WHEN THEY'RE TRYING TO FOIL A BANK ROBBERY, BUT YOU THOUGHT THAT WAS A GOOD IDEA!

IT'S OUR ONLY CHANCE, COLONEL... OTHERWISE, WE'RE SURE TO BE CONVICTED!

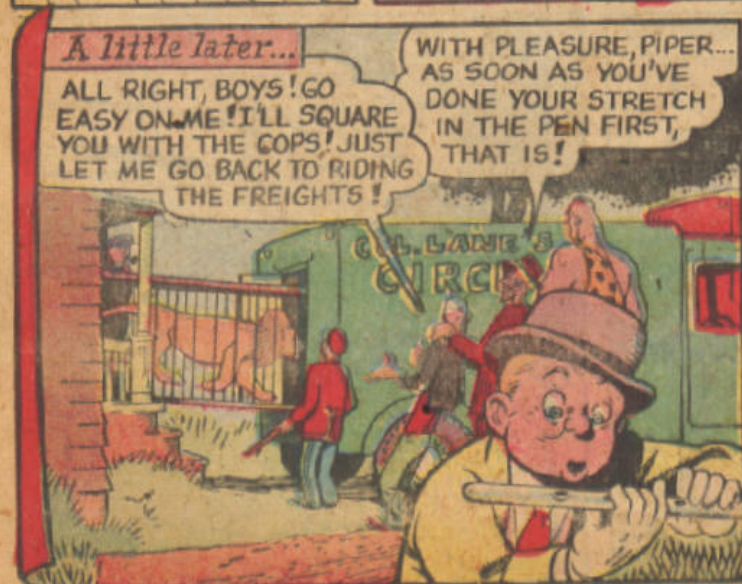
HOW ARE WE GOING TO TRAIL THE PIPER NOW?

WE'LL GET HOLD OF A BLOOD-HOUND! IT'LL BE A CINCH FOR HIM TO FOLLOW THE SCENT OF ALL THOSE ANIMALS...



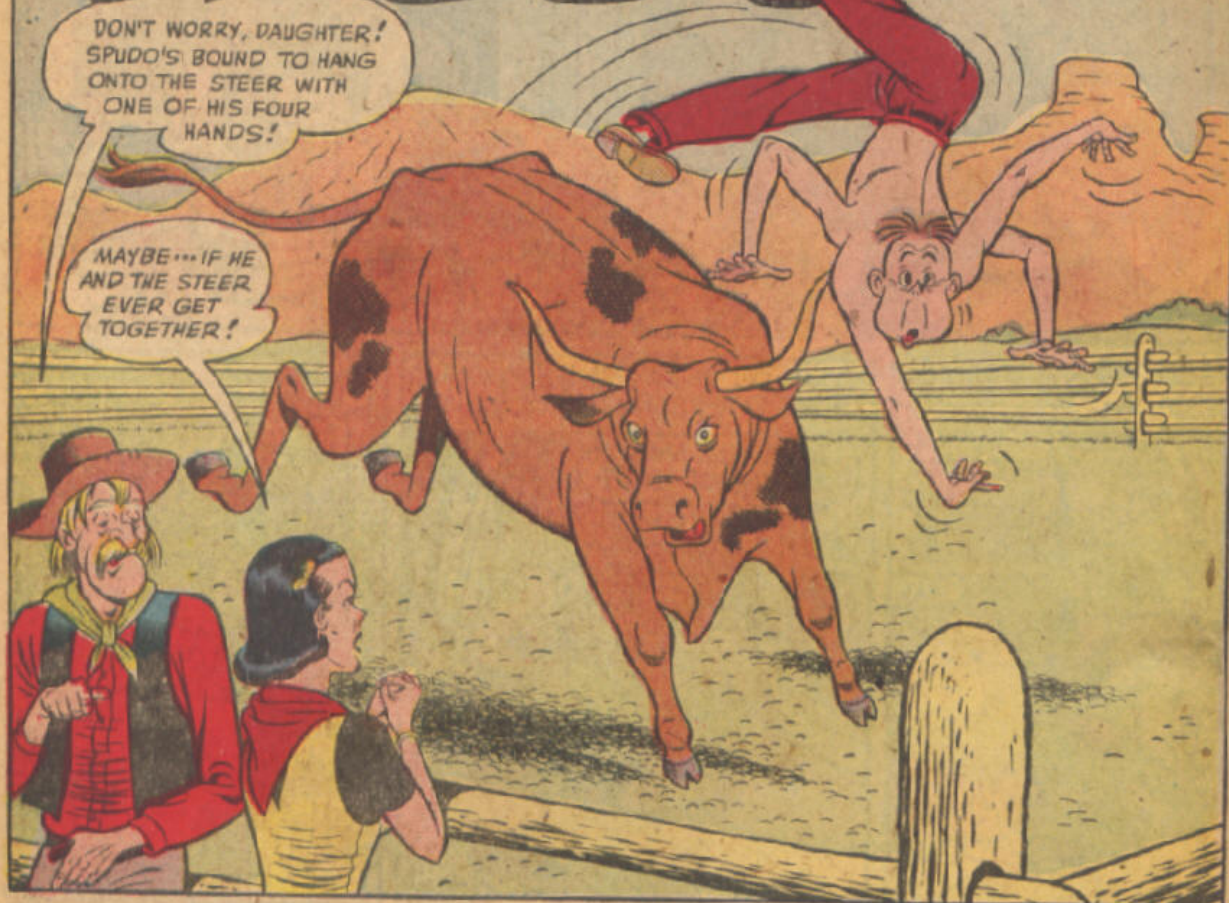




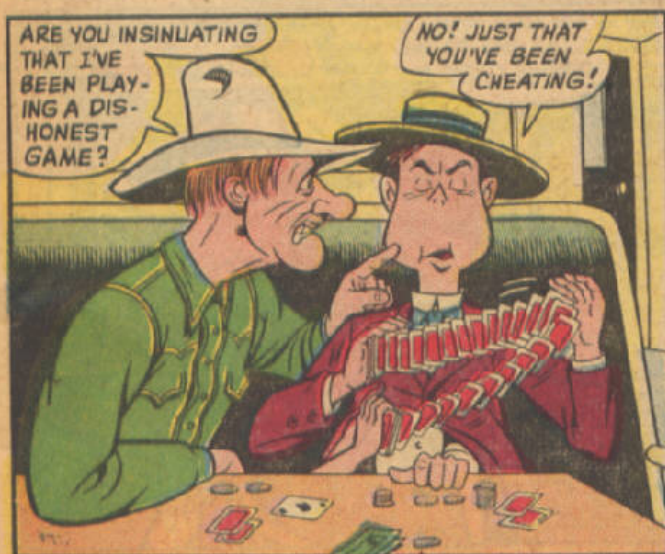
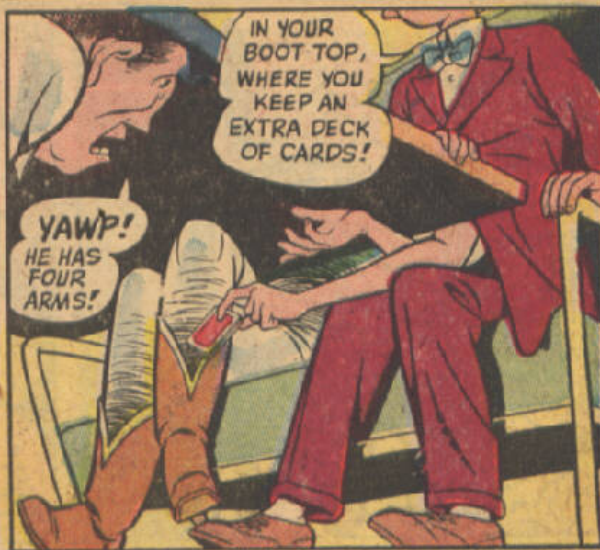




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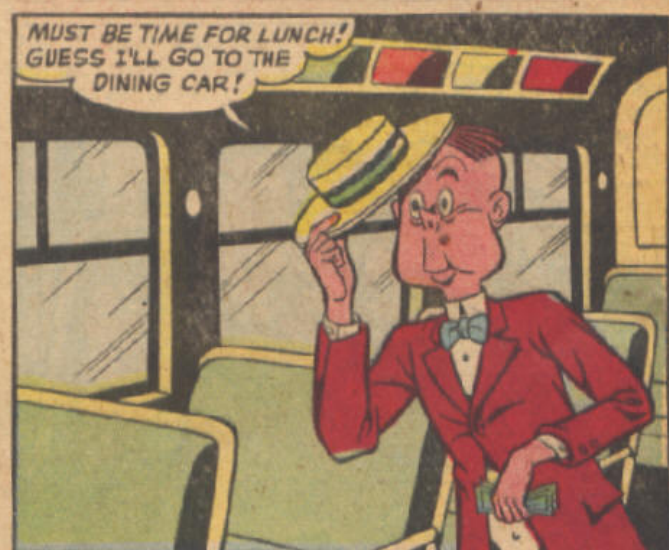
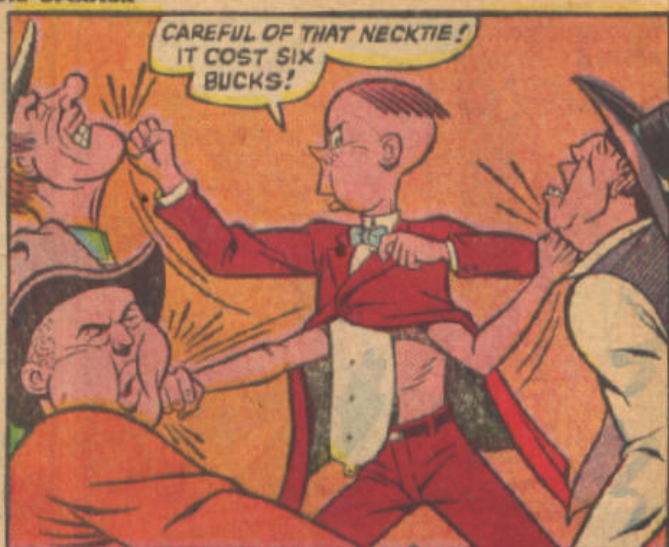






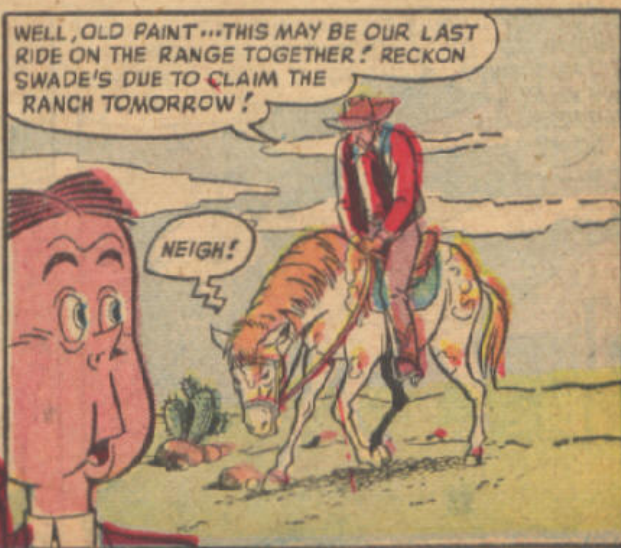
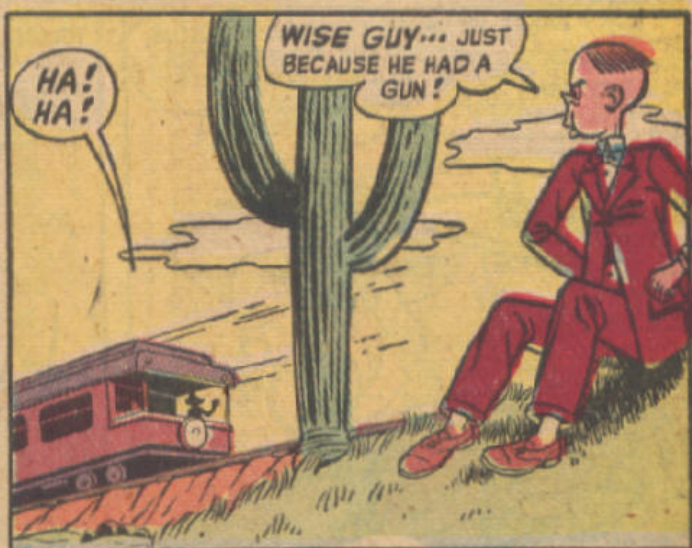
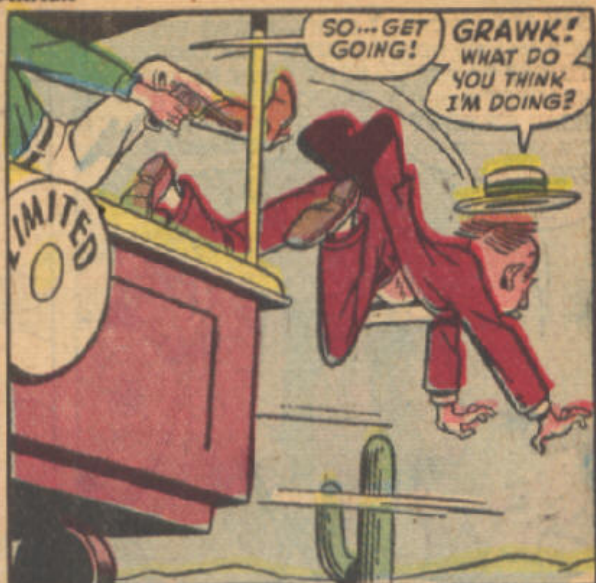
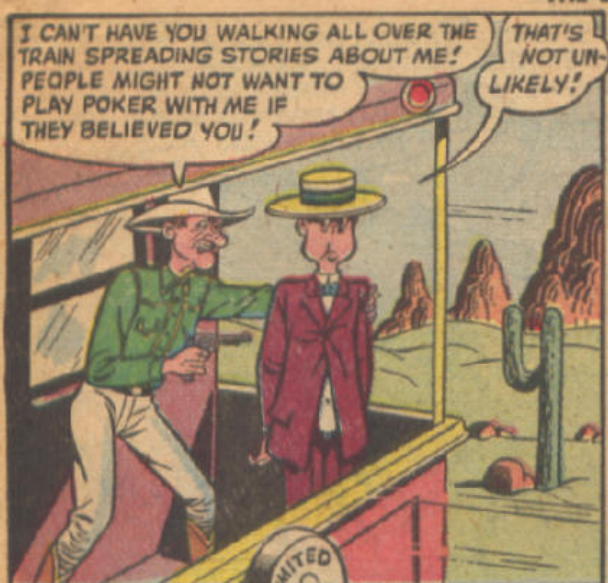


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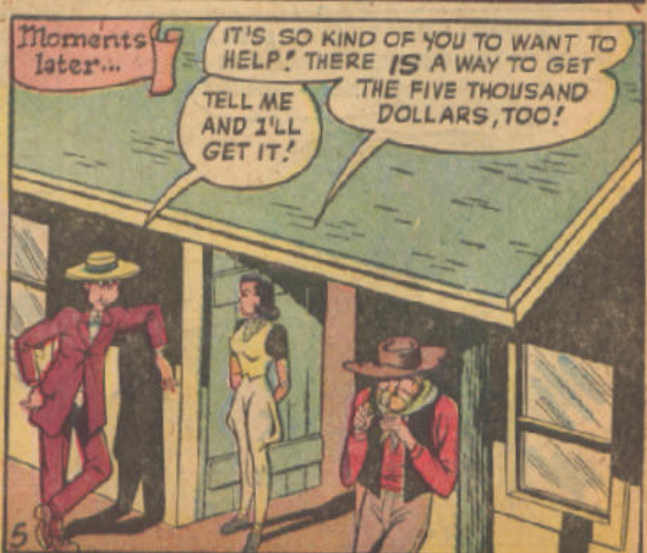
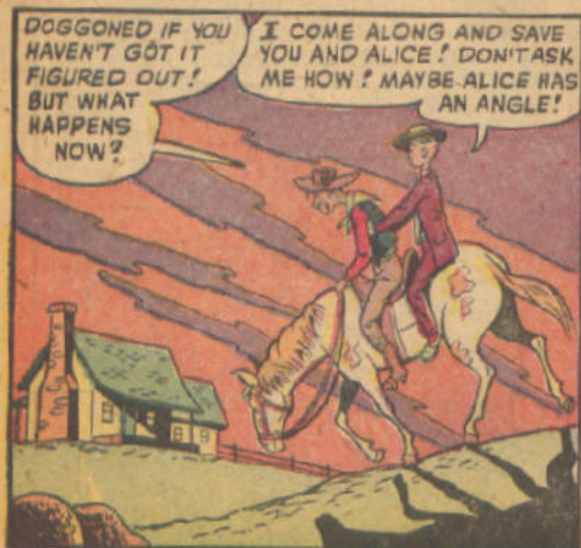
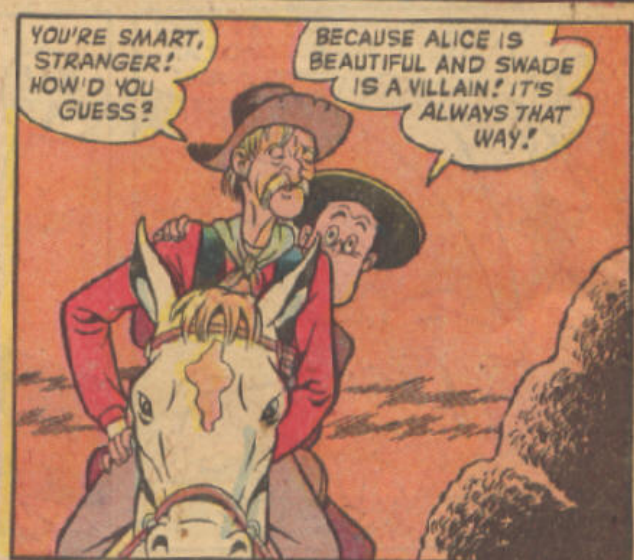
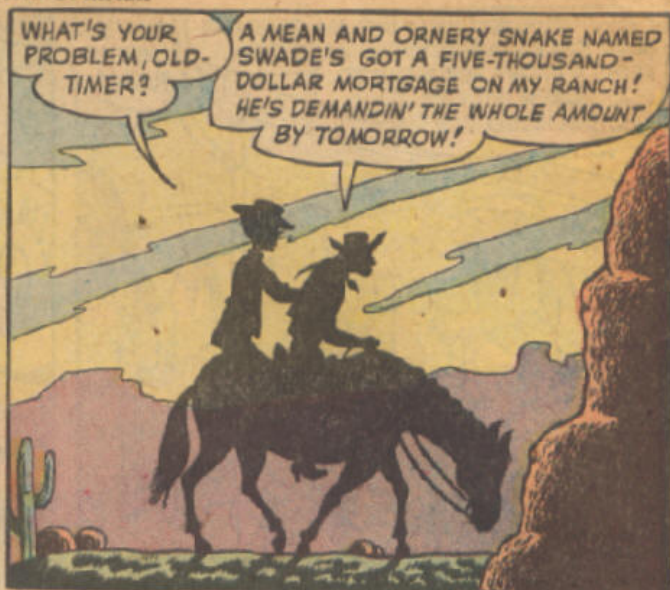
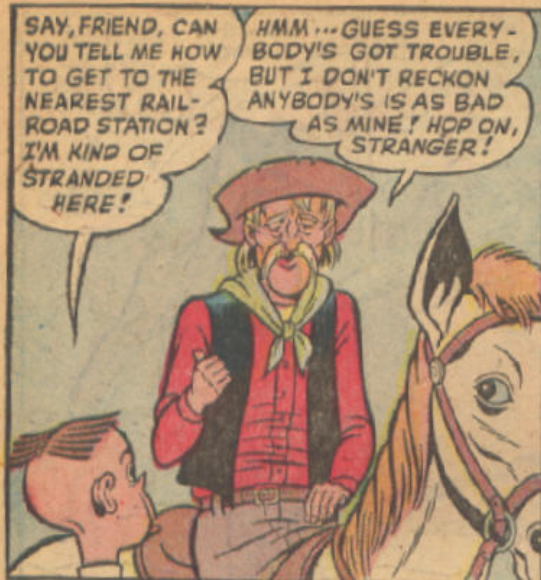




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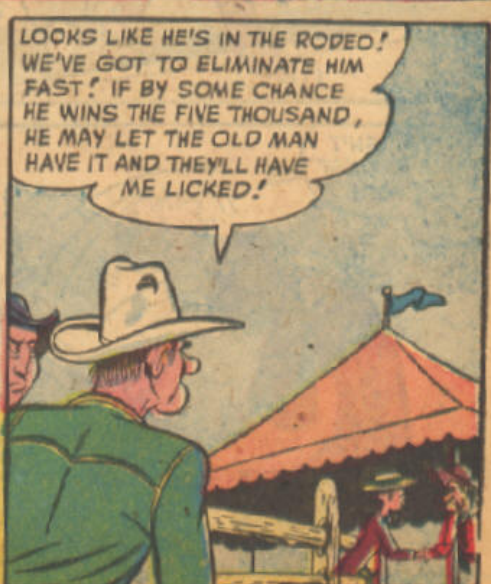
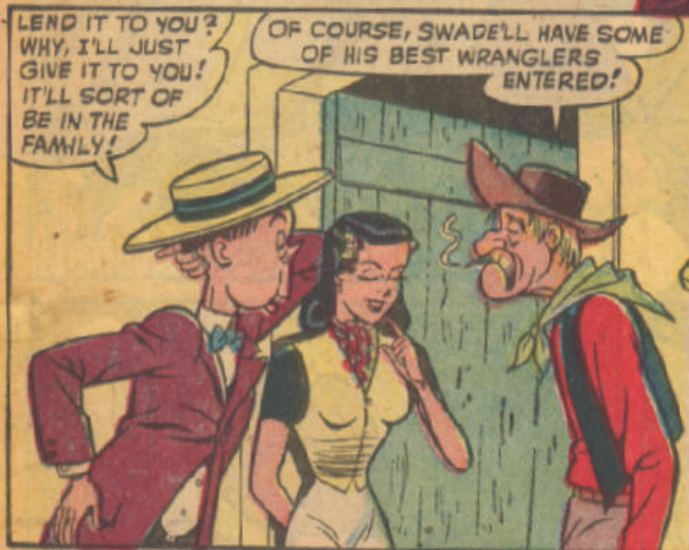








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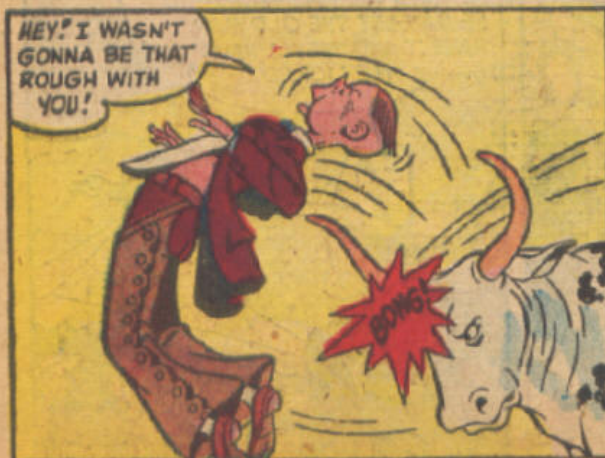
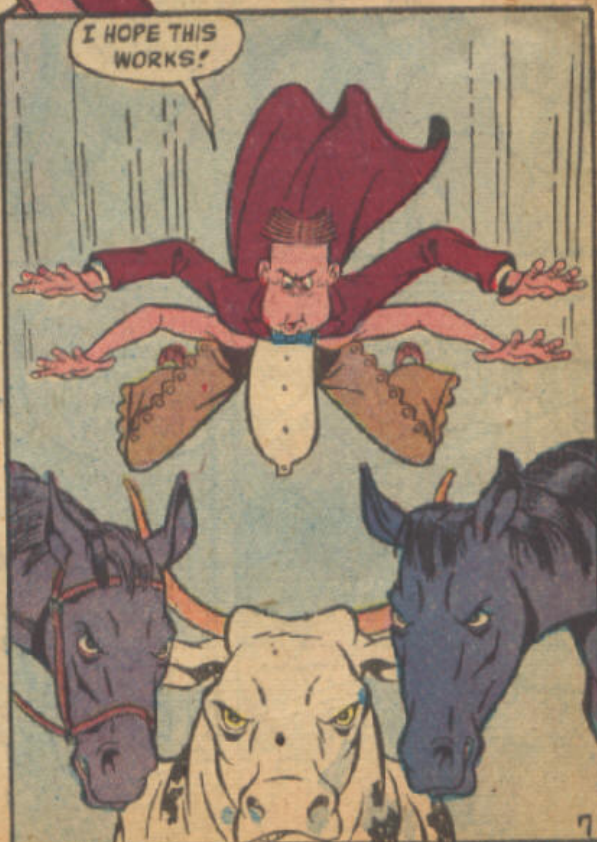
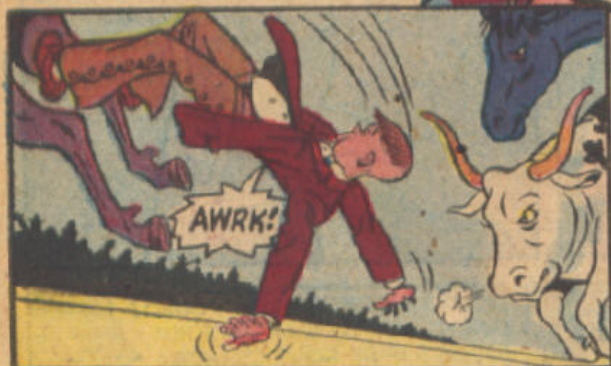




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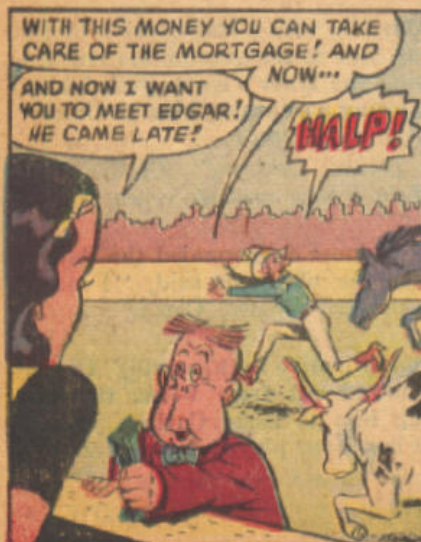
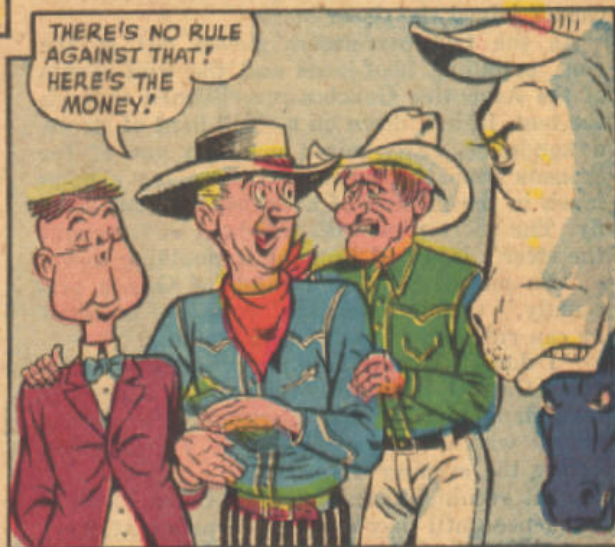
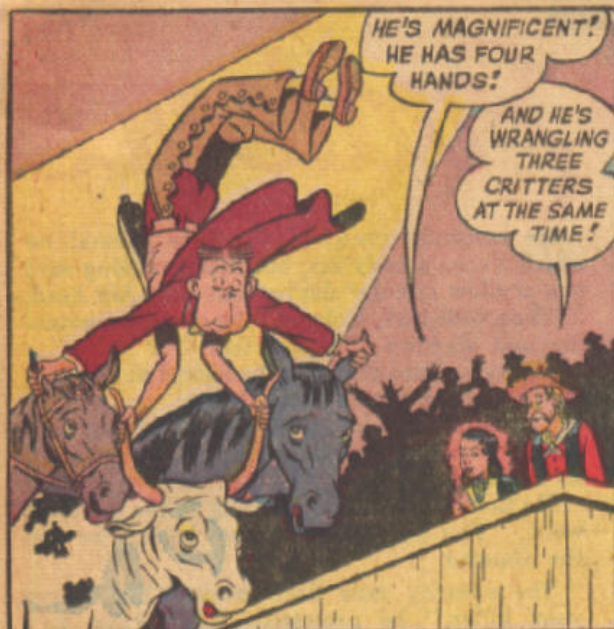


T-THE C-CIRCUS WAS N-NEVER LIKE T-THIS!





THE BARKER





# Weighty Evidence

THE drums in the Big Top rolled ominously as Bull Carlson poised the whip high overhead and sent it streaking like an angry snake. The long leather thong coiled mercilessly about the slim young girl's throat.

From his position in the runway under the grandstand, Colonel Lane caught his breath then relaxed as the young assistant in the ring cast off the whiplash and bowed to the appreciative audience.

"It looks as if he really meant it," Carnie Calahan, who was at the Colonel's side, said. "Maybe he does," he speculated. "Verna and Carlson haven't been hitting it off so well since Gomez joined the show."

As the two performers moved out of the ring, pounding hoof-beats and the wild shouts of the Argentine Gauchos reverberated through the tent. Riding down on a small herd of steers, a handsome, curly-haired man cut one of the animals from the bunch and, swinging a bolas much in the manner of a cowboy's lariat, let it fly. The short rope with weighted ends caught the steer's legs and brought it tumbling down.

"No matter what you think of Gomez personally," Carnie observed, "you have to admit he can ride and the customers like him."

"I don't like this feuding between performers," Colonel Lane said worriedly. "Especially in a dangerous act like Carlson's. I'm having a talk with all three tonight at Verna's tent, before the evening show."

That evening, Carnie and the Colonel walked in silence until they reached Verna's tent. They saw the burly Carlson, who, whip in hand, was just about to enter.

"Wait a minute, Carlson," Carnie called. "We'll all go in together."

"Don't I have a right to see my partner?" Carlson muttered, "or do I have to do my talking through Gomez?"

"Someone mention my name?" a smooth voice asked. Gomez strode arrogantly from the shadows.

"Now that we're all here," Carnie said, pushing open the tent flap, "let's get this over with."

A glimpse into the interior of the tent and the Barker wheeled around, facing the two men. "You two stay out," he ordered tersely. "Colonel, come here."

The Barker went into the tent, followed by the Colonel. He knelt by the crumpled form just inside and said grimly, "It's Verna . . . she's dead . . . strangled."

He carefully searched the bare ground on which Verna's body lay, but noted nothing save two shallow circular depressions near her head.

"You wait here, Colonel," he said, straightening and starting from the tent.

Emerging into the open, he looked at the anxiously waiting Carlson and Gomez.

"Carlson," he said, "let me look at that bull whip." Dumbly, the man passed the coiled whip to the Barker.

He turned to Gomez, pointing to the gaucho's waist. "You can hand over that bolas," he told the Gaucho.

The swarthy man drew back. "You've got your killer," he protested. "You know he's threatened Verna and he was the first here tonight."

"Not first," Carnie said evenly. "I think you met Verna here earlier and killed her with that bolas."

"What you forgot," the Barker went on, "was that the round metal weights left two impressions in the ground. There will be evidence enough on the cord and weights, if what I think is true."

Baring white teeth in a mirthless smile, Gomez slid out of reach.

"You want this bolas," he rasped, withdrawing the cord from his belt. "It can break a neck . . . you saw Verna."

The two men eyed each other for a fraction of a second, then Carnie went for him . . . in low to escape the missile that whirled from Gomez' hand.

The Barker hit him with a bone-jarring tackle that hurled both men to the ground. He reached up and, grasping the killer's shirt, pulled him self upward to swing a smashing blow to Gomez' jaw. The Gaucho went limp.

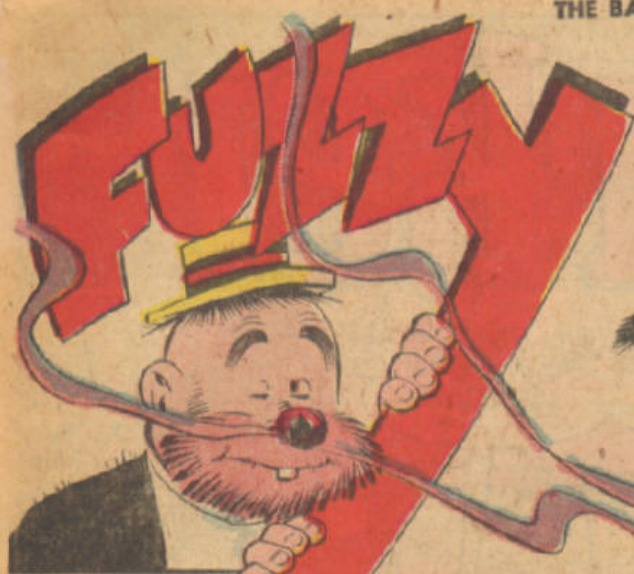
"Call the police, Carlson," Carnie said hoarsely, "before I take another crack at this lousy murderer."

Later, as the Colonel accompanied the Barker to the midway, the old man said, "I never would have suspected Gomez, Carnie . . . he had no motive."

"Only the oldest motive in the world," Carnie replied. "He found out from Verna that she had been using him to make Carlson jealous. He figured he had been played for a sucker."

"Hmm," said the colonel, "that's one little sideshow I'm glad we didn't have to give the public."







THE BARKER

# The Barker

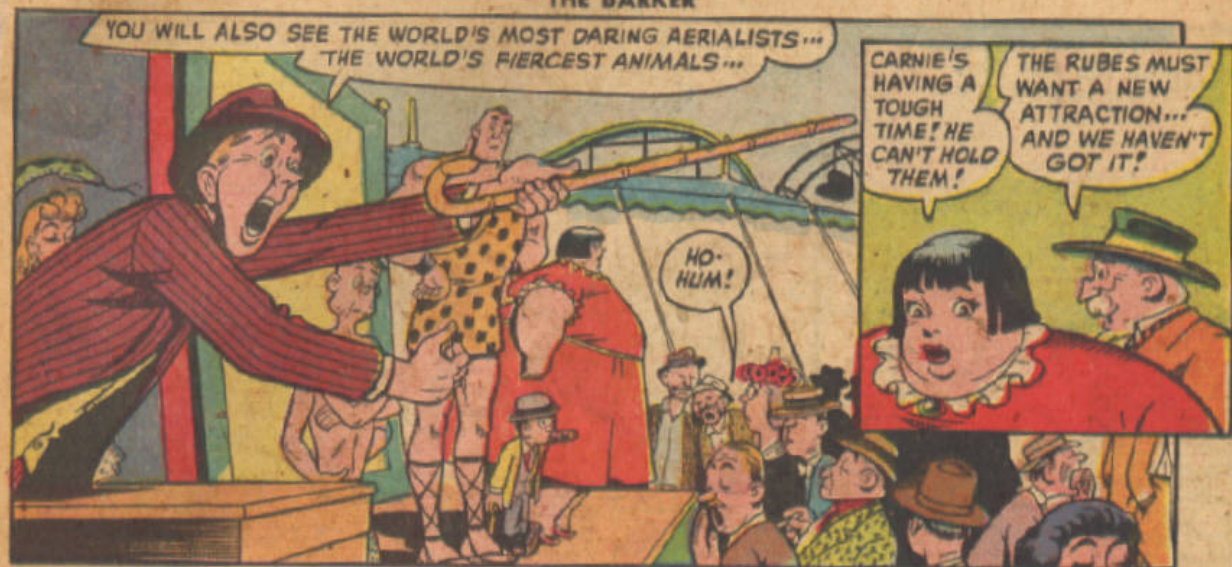
YOU'D NEVER THINK IT TO LOOK AT HIM, FOLKS, BUT HE'S FASTER THAN LIGHTNING! HE'S **THE HUMAN STREAK!**

OH, YEAH? HE'D BETTER START STREAK-ING!



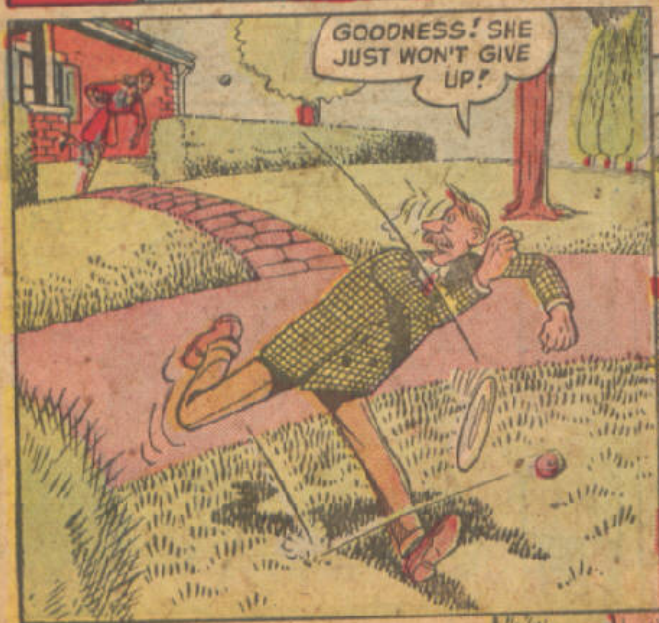
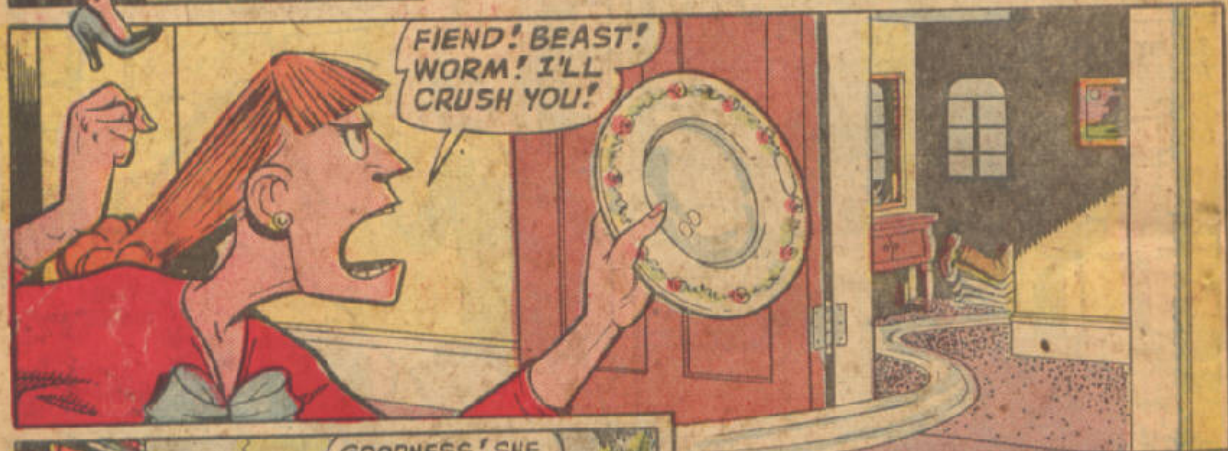
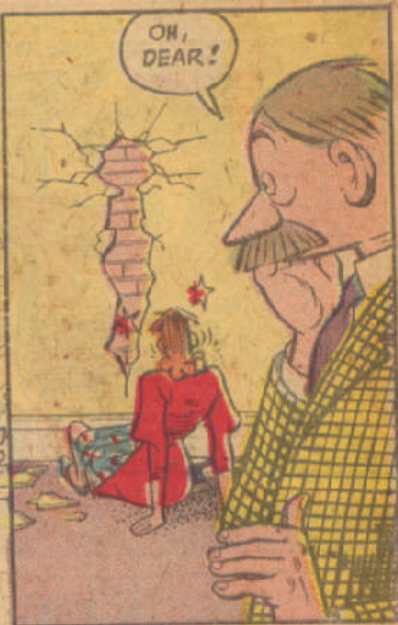


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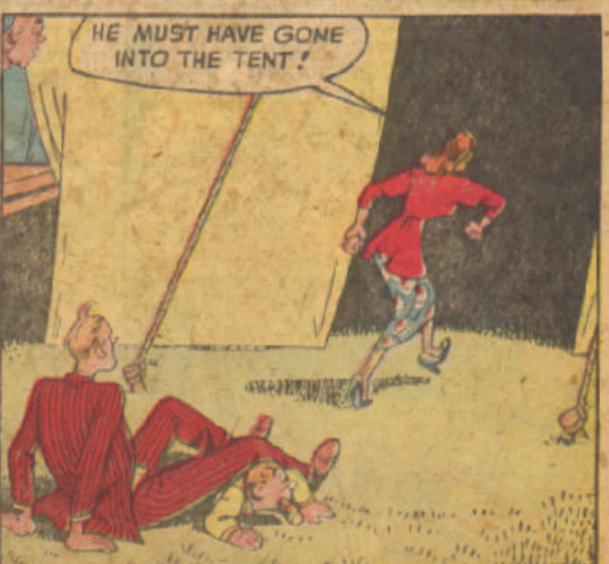
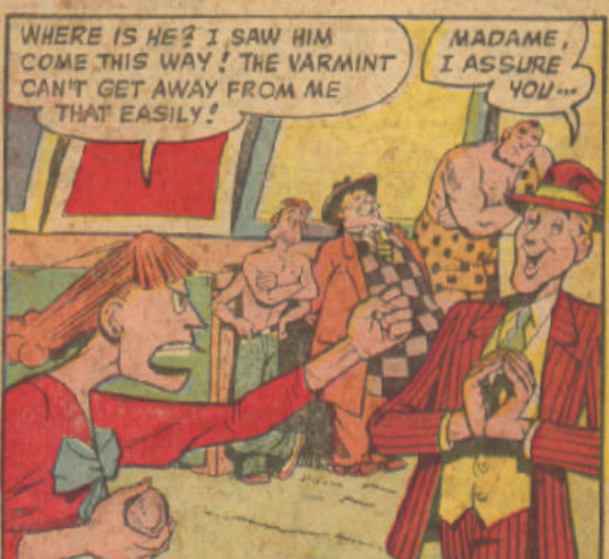
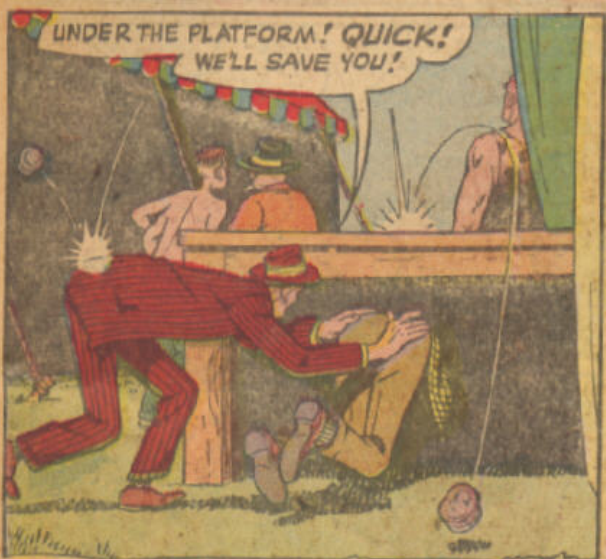
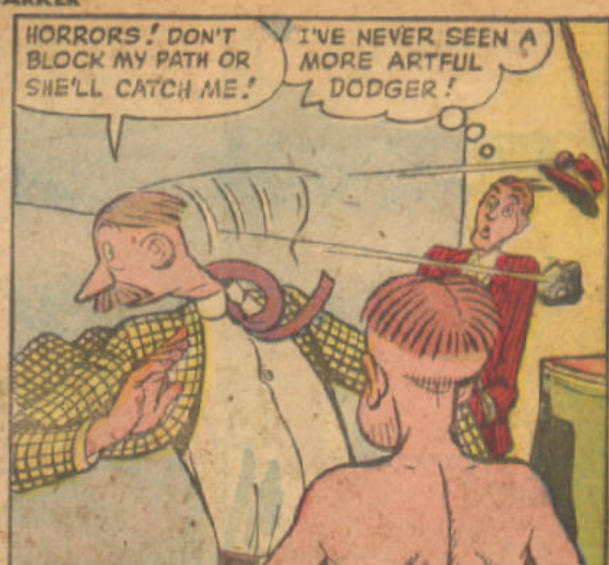
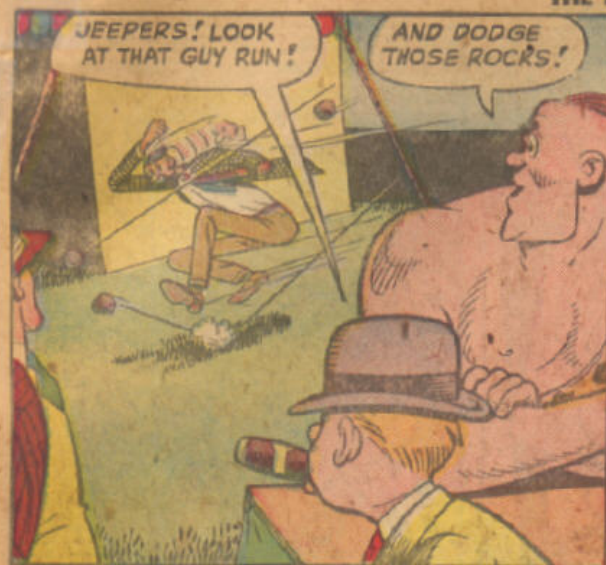




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KEEP HIM COVERED, KIDS!  
THAT HARRIDAN'LL BE OUT  
AGAIN IN A MINUTE!



WA-A-AH! I CAN'T  
FIND HIM! THE BRUTE'S  
DESERTED ME! SNIFF!



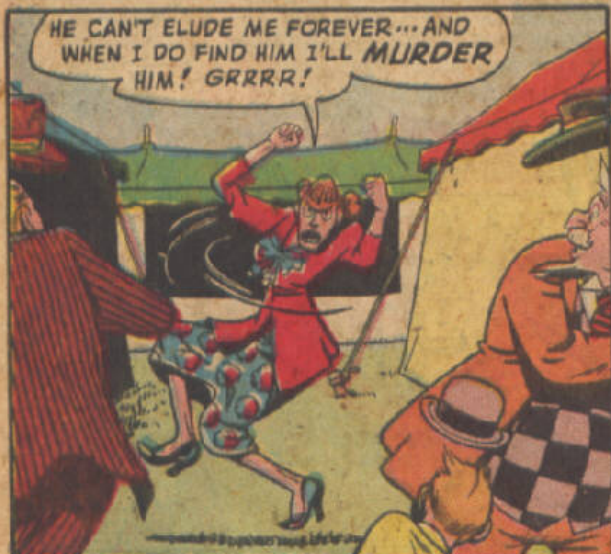
GOLLY, CARNIE! THE  
POOR DAME LOOKS  
HEARTBROKEN! MAYBE  
WE OUGHT TO TELL  
HER...

NIX! THE  
LEAST WE  
CAN DO IS  
GIVE THAT  
GUY A  
BREAK!

BOO-  
HOO!



HE CAN'T ELUDE ME FOREVER... AND  
WHEN I DO FIND HIM I'LL **MURDER**  
HIM! GRRRR!



SEE WHAT I  
MEAN? SHE'S  
TEMPERAMENTAL  
AND UNRELIABLE!

TSK-  
TSK-  
TSK!



BUT CARNIE,  
WHAT'LL WE  
DO WITH  
HIM?

THAT'S OBVIOUS,  
COLONEL... YOU  
WANTED A NEW  
ACT! HE'S IT!



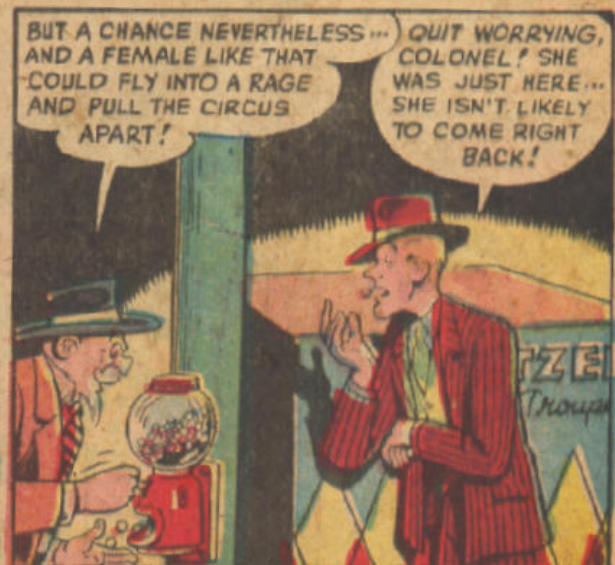
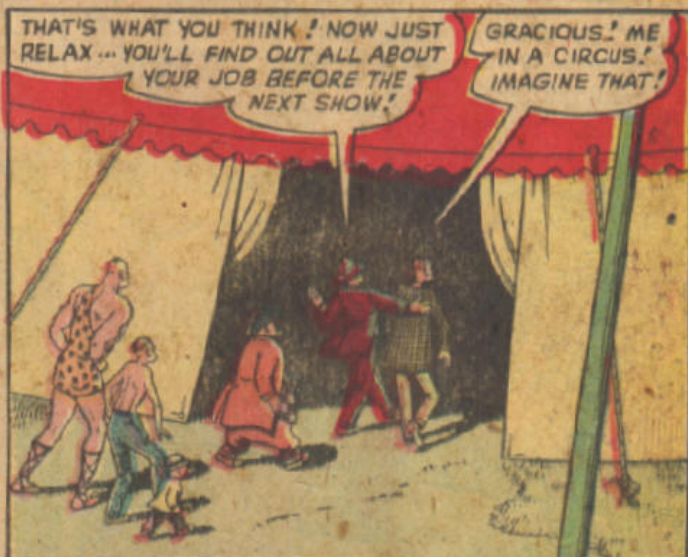
WE'LL BILL HIM AS **THE HUMAN  
STREAK!** WE'LL THROW THINGS  
AT HIM AND HE'LL  
DODGE THEM! THE  
YOKELS'LL LOVE  
IT!

A  
GREAT  
IDEA,  
CARNIE!

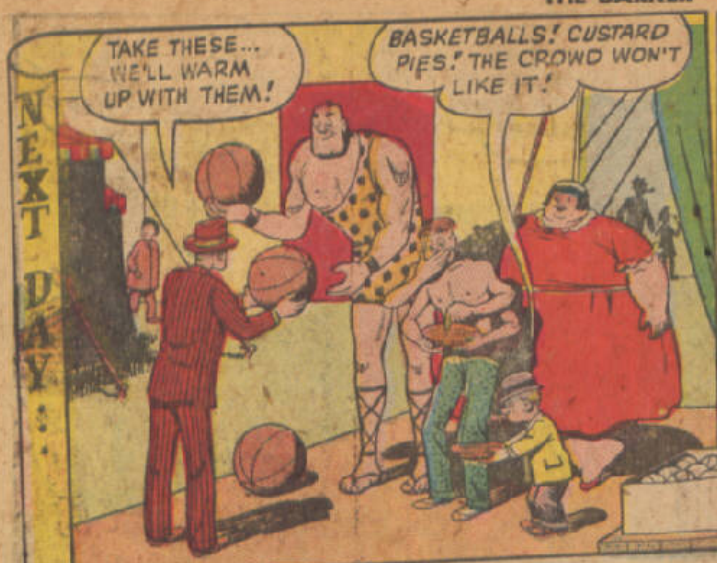




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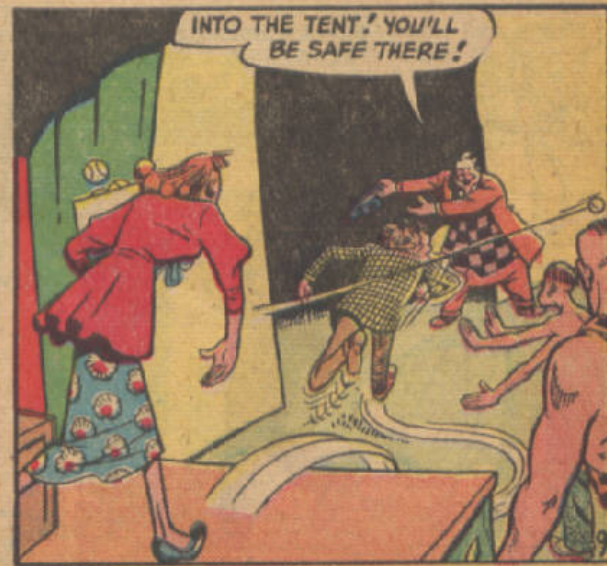
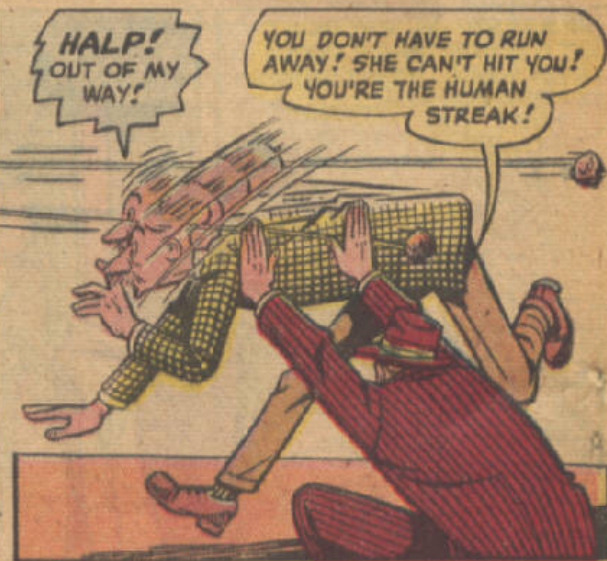
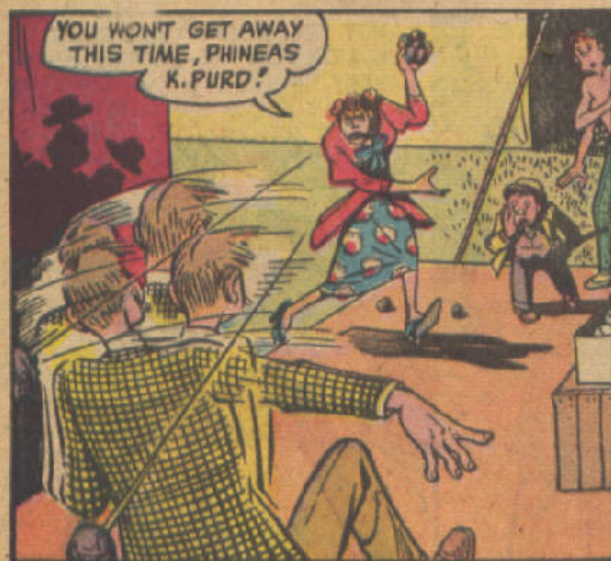








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THE HUMAN STREAK'S EVEN MORE SENSATIONAL ON THE INSIDE, FOLKS! SO BUY YOUR TICKETS NOW! HURRY! HURRY!



CARNE, WE'RE SELLING OUT! HOW DID YOU WORK IT?



I FIGURED ONLY HIS WIFE CAN MAKE THE HUMAN STREAK MOVE WITH LIGHTNING SPEED!



SO I WENT TO TOWN AND TOLD HER SHE COULD HAVE A CRACK AT PHINEAS IF SHE CAME HERE WHEN I TOLD HER TO--



NICE TIMING! SOUNDS LIKE A LOT OF ACTION INSIDE!



OW! HALP!



AWRK! SHE CAN'T HIT THE HUMAN STREAK BUT SHE'S MURDERING THE CUSTOMERS!



WE WERE LURED IN HERE TO BE KILLED!



LET'S GET OUR HANDS ON THAT BARKER!



LET'S MAUL THOSE CIRCUS GUYS!



WATCH ME! I'LL SHOW YOU HOW TO DO IT!



YOU AND YOUR BRAINSTORMS, CALAHAN!



PHINEAS, CAN YOU GIVE ME SOME QUICK PODGING LESSONS? YOU CAN NAME YOUR OWN PRICE!



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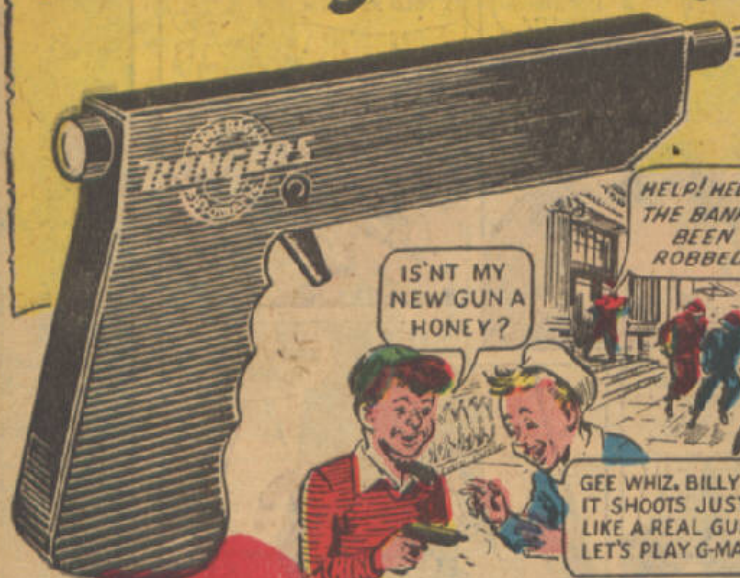
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NEW GUN A  
HONEY?

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BEEN  
ROBBED!

GEE WHIZ, BILLY!  
IT SHOOTS JUST  
LIKE A REAL GUN!  
LET'S PLAY G-MAN

LET'S GET  
OUT A HERE  
BILLY!

WAIT, I'VE  
GOT AN IDEA!  
STOP OR  
I'LL SHOOT!

JEEZ! THE  
KID'S GOT A  
REAL GUN  
KILLER!

GOOD WORK, BILLY.  
WE'VE BEEN AFTER  
THESE CROOKS FOR  
A LONG TIME...

YOU FOOLED US, KID.  
I THOUGHT THAT GUN  
WAS A REAL ONE!

BILLY, YOU SAVED  
THE BANK. HERE'S  
YOUR REWARD!

THANK YOU  
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